Community Relations Committee Minutes for April 2, 2015

Meeting opened at 8:00

Attendees: Minh Le, Karen Spangler, and Saralisa Brau in person; Soniya Mitra by phone

Minh confirmed that the Community Corner section of the Crier has been launched with the March Crier.

The Toddler Group is picking up steam with 7 children attending last week. Several families have made donations to the toy collection.

The next charitable event will be collecting business clothing. There will be a bin in the Village Hall and collections will continue until May 17th at which time we will have a "sorting party" at the hall to get them ready for donation. Possible charities include Dress for Success (women only), Martha's Table, Career Gear, Christ House and A Wider Circle. Need to establish a way for people to get Tax ID # and letter when donating.

Discussed holding an Ice Cream Social in conjunction with a Backpack/School Supplies Collection in June.

Future plans include another New Resident Social in September and a Coat Drive to begin in Oct/Nov

Minh Le announced that she has decided to put her name in to become a member of the Village Board and therefore must resign from the CRC. She will, however, be the liason person for CRC on the Board so the committee will continue to benefit from her ideas and support.

Meeting adjourned 8:25